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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

Sir:

This responds to the Final Office Action mailed August 30, 2006. A Petition for Extension of Time (two months) along with appropriate statutory fee are submitted herewith, extending the due date for response from November 30, 2006 to January 30, 2007 and making this response timely.

Amendment to the specification: begins on page 2.

**Listing of the Claims:** begins on page 3.

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